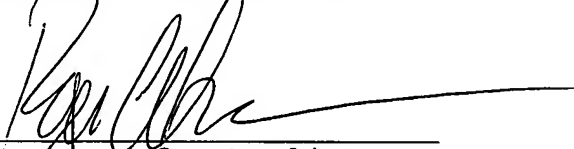


**CONCLUSION**

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the restriction requirement as to the primer sets and mutation(s). If the Examiner has any questions or wishes to discuss the matter, the Examiner is welcomed to telephone the undersigned attorney.

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